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signee of the estate of Jos [illegible] and apply for a settlement of the same scharge from all liability as assignee in accordance with the provisions of f the U S revised statutes
78. E ARNOLD Assignee
ja22d1aw4t

OF FINAL MEETING—IN U S DIS Court, District of Oregon In the Wm B. Carey bankrupt In Bank is to give notice that by order there will be held on the 14th day of A. D 1878 at 11 o clock A M at Por in said district, at the office of H H egister in Bankruptcy for said district meeting of the creditors of said bank [illegible] time and place I shall file my residence of the estate of said Wm B krupt and shall apply to said court ment of my said accounts in accordance provisions of section 5097 of the U S re s.
H BURNETT Assignee
Ogn January 1878 ja19law3t

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT District of Oregon—ss In the matter of H. Haas Bankrupt In Bankruptcy ve notice that by order of said court be held [illegible] day of February at 1 o clock P M of said day at Por in said district at the office of H H gister in Bankruptcy for said district eneral meeting of the creditors of said at which time and place I shall file my assignee of the estate of said J. W. e bankrupt
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GENERAL NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN

Bank Burglarized

HARTFORD, Conn Jan 31—The Deep River National Bank was entered by burglars last night, the vault blown open which aroused the citizens, and the burglars fled without opening the safe Two burglars arrested in New Haven on the train from Saybrook gave the names of Andrew Hubbell of Ohio and James Watson of New York

Bank Enjoined.

PAWTUCKET R I Feb 1—The Providence County Savings Bank is enjoined from doing further business

Opposed to the Tariff

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 1—The executive committee of the Industrial League this morning passed a resolution hostile to the tariff bill recently published

Anderson's Trial

NEW ORLEANS Feb 1—In the Anderson trial to-day several witnesses testified relative to testimony which came before the returning board in 1876 and giving their version of the facts of that controversy It was testified that Anderson was present when the Vernon parish returns were opened and knew their condition.

Hanged

MALONE, N Y Feb 1—Jos Woods for the murder of Stephen Woods was hanged to day.

Destructive Fire

BOSTON, Feb 1—F M Holmes' manufactory was burned at Charleston Insured for $134,000; loss $230,000, adjacent building damaged, $20,000

Steamer Burned.

NEW YORK, Feb 1—A fire to night in the office of the Annex Ferry Company Jewell street dock, Brooklyn extended to the excursion steamer *Aerrial* lying at the dock causing her almost total destruction

Snow Storm.

BOSTON, Feb. 1—A snow storm which began yesterday evening the severest since 18[illegible] caused a suspension of business

Fire in Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 1—The total loss by fire last night H P & W P Smith commission merchants Chestnut street is now placed at $300,000, insurance $210 000 The stock of George Campbell manufacturer of woolens, who occupied the second story was totally destroyed loss $50 000 insurance $45,000, Other losses on adjacent property is covered by insurance

The Union Mutual Retires.

NEW YORK, Feb 1—The Union Mutual Insurance Company one of the oldest marine insurance companies in this city announces its intention to retire from business Cause too large a reduction of rates of premiums and shrinkage

Cuba's Discriminative Tariff

NASHVILLE Feb 1.—The delegation to Cuba report that the great barrier to trade is the high discriminative tariff against the United States. The tariff on flour in American vessels is $6 68, while Spanish flour pays only $2 81, and other things proportionate With an equal tariff trade would increase a million and a half dollars on flour alone The demand for American products is very strong and Havana merchants are eager to trade with the United States A new commercial treaty is recommended

Terrific Storm—Loss of Life.

ASBURY PARK, N J, Feb 1—The most terrific storm known in years has been raging along the coast The brig *Ella M Tucker* came ashore yesterday forenoon She is a total loss. The cargo of coffee worth $80 000, is in the undertow A heavy sea reached over the sandbar and has almost completely destroyed the county bridge connecting Asbury Park with Deal The railroad bridge on the same stream, known as the Great Pond is badly damaged Last night's passenger train on the Central road from New York proceeding with great care, men with lanterns going ahead of the engine, turned over into the stream John Barman a brakeman, was thrown under the engine and drowned

NEW YORK, Feb 1—The storm has been fearful. Dispatches report damage and disaster in all parts of the Atlantic coast and at Coney Island there has been great destruction of property, eight lives lost There is a scene of great calamity at Manhattan beach to property on the east side of the island where the storm struck with the greatest violence, fairly sweeping everything before it About half a mile east from the big hotel were two shanties where two men named Winnie and Brennan lived with their families. Shortly after 1 o'clock the men who were employed as watchmen left home for the purpose of reporting the state of affairs to Weed, head watchman, and during their absence the shanties in which they left their families were swept away and the unfortunate occupants numbering three women and five children, perished The victims were Mrs. Winnie and her three children aged three and five years and an infant but a day old, Mrs Brennan and two children aged two and four years respectively The third woman who perished was the nurse to Mrs. Winnie There were three tidal waves, which followed in quick succession Not a vestige of the shanties were left The bodies of the unfortunates were carried to sea Mrs Winnie's body was recovered this morning The tide rose nearly five feet higher than any previously recorded The flood did much damage at other parts of the island

Preparing to Meet Sitting Bull.

CHICAGO, Feb 1—The *Times* Bismarck special says A private telegram from a reliable source at Tongue river post reports Gen Miles preparing to move against Sitting Bull about the 10th of February with a force of eight companies of cavalry and six or eight companies of infantry and all obtainable Crow Indians This seems to favor the idea which was believed ridiculous in official circles in Washington and Chicago that Sitting Bull has really crossed into the United States

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

Papal Intelligence

ROME Feb 1—Osservatore Romano denies that Cardinal Manning had counseled the Vatican to hostile acts against the Italian government

Pleading for his City.

PARIS, Feb 1—The *Temps* states that the sultan has sent several dispatches to the czar during the past few days begging him to stop the advance upon Constantinople

CONGRESSIONAL.

House.

WASHINGTON Feb 1

The house agreed to adjourn till Monday in order to witness the torpedo experiments Saturday

Baker, of Indiana arising to a question of privilege said grave [illegible] charged on the doorkeeper The charges were supported by the affidavit which [illegible] He had brought to the attention [illegible] document containing sixty three names of employes on the doorkeeper's rolls in excess of the number authorized

Hunton suggested that the charges be referred to a committee

Baker then [illegible] W Polk had been [illegible] ance—has required employes [illegible] ployes part of their salary [illegible] claims and bills [illegible] recting [illegible] matter and whether [illegible]

Mills alluded to the [illegible] several years ago [illegible] defeat Banks

Baker had his all [illegible] Ingram [illegible] him an interest [illegible] would resign his [illegible] terested in these claims [illegible] Mary A Duffy assist [illegible] ument rooms to [illegible] Polk had told him [illegible] in the way of appointments

The speaker said [illegible] already [illegible]

The investigation [illegible] from the record book

TERRIBLE MARINE DISASTER

Another Wreck at Kitty Hawk.

Steamship Metropolis a Total Loss—One Hundred and Sixty Persons Find a Watery Grave—The Vessel Unseaworthy—Full Details of the Sad Disaster

WASHINGTON Jan 31 The signal service observer at Kitty Hawk N C reports to the chief signal officer as follows The steamship *Metropolis* stranded on Currituck beach three miles south of Currituck light [illegible] a total loss There were 248 persons on board [illegible] swam ashore [illegible] from the life saving station The chief signal officer ordered [illegible] of the operators at Kitty Hawk station to proceed on horseback to the scene of the wreck and open a telegraph station there and forward all information as rapidly as it can be obtained The wreck is about twenty miles north from Kitty Hawk station The *Metropolis* sailed Tuesday from Philadelphia for Brazil She was dispatched by the contractors for the Madeira and Mamore railroad carried 200 laborers 500 tons of rail road iron and several mails for Brazil The steamer was commanded by Captain Ankers Paul J. White formerly chief engineer of the Lehigh Navigation Company and James T Moore a well known engineer were in charge of her cargo of railroad stores etc The wife and little boy of Mr Collins one of the contractors were among the passengers

NORFOLK Feb 1—The steamer *Metropolis* had heavy weather from the time she left the capes of Delaware Wednesday night she commenced making water fast The leak put out the fires when the vessel struck the panic ensued and all order and discipline were at an end Many were drowned by a sea dashing them overboard The vessel is completely broken up no portion of the wreck being visible except what strew the beach

WASHINGTON Feb 1—The signal service station at the wreck of the steamer *Metropolis* reports as follows Five o'clock A M—Total number of passengers 200 of whom 100 were drowned the remainder were saved The steamer is a total wreck Nothing is left above water No bodies aboard the steamer The wreck was caused by the vessel being unseaworthy She sprung a leak about mid night and stranded at 7 o'clock A M Jan 31st The only way of saving life was by running ashore as the vessel was in a sinking condition This is the statement of Tom M Quillan one of the saved

Eight o'clock—The state of affairs this morning is terrible Dead bodies are lying along the beach for a distance of two miles Eight out of fourteen firemen are known to be dead

The signal service station at the wreck of the *Metropolis* reports that the *Metropolis* Capt J H Ankers, left Philadelphia at 9 A M the 29th of January discharged pilot at 11 P M at Breakwater at 8 P M on the 30th the vessel started a heavy leak in her rudder case Finding she could not gain on the leak with the pumps concluded to lighten the steamer by overthrowing the coal and hurrying away for Hampton Roads at mid night the pumps gave out at 5 A M a heavy sea boarded the vessel carrying away the smoke stack bob and engine room and the doors of the forward saloon, letting in a large quantity of water below, ship completely unmanageable Finding nothing could be done for the vessel attempted to reach the beach to save what lives that could be saved at 6 o'clock she made the beach at that time the fires were out and the engine stopped set all head sail to drive her up the beach surf very violent At 4 o'clock passed word for all hands to prepare themselves with life preservers At 6 45 the ship struck the beach At 11 a man on her chock made his appearance on the beach waving his hat and promising assistance At 12 30 the life saving service made their appearance but came poorly provided to save life All the assistance they could render was to get them out of the surf as they came ashore Had they come to the scene of the wreck during the forenoon nearly every one could have been saved At 4 P M she broke up completely throwing us all into the sea

Sunk with all on Board

During the storm yesterday the schooner *Ella May* or supposed to be from Providence with a cargo of salt went ashore on [illegible] in the sound and sunk with all on board

A Survivor's Story

NORFOLK, Feb 1—The steamer *Cygnet* arrived from Currituck this afternoon bringing Edward W Brooke one of the passengers of the *Metropolis* Brooke left the wreck yesterday morning and fully sustains the statement heretofore given The vessel was beyond all doubt weak and unseaworthy and being deeply laden labored in a heavy sea which caused her to open seams and leak Captain Ankers did all that skill and judgment could suggest or experience devise But when the fires were out it left his vessel powerless He therefore was unable to drive her upon the beach as he anticipated or keep the vessel from going broadside or exposing the deck to be swept by each succeeding sea

The steamer *Cygnet* returned at once to bring to this city the survivors who will be duly provided for by charitable people among our citizens The survivors will be sent north via the Baltimore or Clyde line as they may select

Names of the Saved

WASHINGTON Feb 1—The signal service station at the wreck of the *Metropolis* reports as follows The following are the names of those still living Jas Goodwin John Dillon Thos Phil Jno F Miller Wm McLaughlin Thos Phillips Chas Button Geo Cundlad Jas McGuire Chas Turner Jas Kearney Thos Harrington Geo Smith Jas Trimpers Frank Fillet, Alexander Dougherty Garrett Doyle Jno McNamara Pat McElwaine Jno Kennedy Archy McKinnelly Pat Gorman Dan O'Brien [illegible] Buchanan Jas McLaughlin Peter Jackson Edward Welch Wm Sharkely David Weston Wm Cummins

Relief of Survivors

NORFOLK Feb 1—Citizens of Norfolk held a public meeting this afternoon to take measures to provide for the survivors A fund was procured and mattresses blankets etc furnished by the navy department

From reports received at the office of the chief signal officer from the signal service station at the wreck of the *Metropolis* it appears that [illegible] saved are already received It is possible the number may yet be increased

NORFOLK Feb 1—Capt Ankers telegraphed Mayor Tucker that the survivors [illegible] leave Currituck to morrow for this city This makes about 100 [illegible] bodies which have been washed ashore and be immediately [illegible]

CANADA

Flax Mill Burned

MONTREAL, Feb 1—[illegible]

[illegible]

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

The Delayed Armistice

LONDON Feb 1—The [illegible] of the [illegible] armistice [illegible] Vienna papers say the conclusion [illegible] occupation of Constantinople

The Horrors of War

A [illegible] who arrived at Gallipoli with [illegible] telegraphs I will [illegible] to relieve 5,000 refugees in great distress I have seen vast numbers of refugees all over the country dying from cold and hunger There is a great [illegible] perfectly destitute, having generally lost half of each family It is a nation moving without means of transportation and with no homes to go to Englishmen cannot imagine the suffering and destitution of the [illegible] thrown [illegible] innocent and [illegible] people

English Debate on the War Questions

In the debate on the government's motion for a supplementary vote Cross said [illegible] speech was intended to create the feeling that there was a war party in the government which desired credit in order to apply it to warlike purposes This imputation he distinctly denies He also declined to admit that the vote was intended as a general vote of confidence All the government asked was that the money should be granted which might be necessary and be given in full confidence [illegible] would be used [illegible] absolutely necessary The government had never swerved from the policy of Lord Derby's dispatch of the 6th of May He characterized the speeches made against the government outside the house as lying speeches [Cheers from the ministerial benches] He commented on the delay in making known the conditions of peace [illegible] by the Turks but by the Russians He asked where was the strongest reasons for the Russian advance on Constantinople when the bases of peace [illegible] He taunted the opposition [illegible] friends of the Russians [illegible] government was bound to persevere in the vote The government must exercise the right to be heard [illegible] the government's only object was substantial and lasting peace He had not believed until he saw it that the amendment would be put [illegible] would be defeated by an overwhelming majority

The house was very lively during both Forster's and Cross's speeches and there was cheering and counter cheering from either side of the house

Sir Wilfrid Lawson opposed the vote and contended that the proper course for the government was to go to the country and get the opinion of the constituency

Bright lamented Sir Stafford Northcote's tone in giving notice of the supplementary vote He had spoken as though the freedom of the Christian provinces of Turkey was opposed to the interests of England Bright hoped that £6 000 000 would not be used to restrict that freedom He thought the terms of peace contained nothing that should alarm the people, and feel our discreditable jealousy of Russia or justify the government in entering the conference with an attitude of menace If the government adhered to the old policy of cherishing enmity against Russia they would bequeath a legacy of war to posterity whereas they might bequeath a legacy of growing lasting friendship with one of the greatest empires

Debate adjourned until to morrow

LONDON Feb 1—The debate on the government's motion for a supplementary vote was resumed in the house of commons Trevelyan liberal member from Hawick district strongly supported Forster's amendment to the government motion

Robert Lowe charged the government with concealing the object of calling parliament from the people who have been misled and deceived

Bourke said it was certain that the Russian terms amounted to the destruction of European Turkey The house might say whether peace be lasting or temporary and fruitful of wars The government asked supplies not for war but to enable them to exert an influence in behalf of England and Europe

Sir Michael Hicks Beach hoped England's arm would not be paralyzed at this moment

[illegible] the government of [illegible] unreasonableness being unsympathetic toward [illegible]

The debate was adjourned till Monday

Beaconsfield Applauded

Beaconsfield was vociferously cheered this afternoon by a crowd numbering several thousand

The Anti-Russian Sentiment

The [illegible] says Members of the stock exchange yesterday amid yells burned the [illegible] and other publications of pro Russian tendency and then signed an address and declaration of confidence in the government There was a similar demonstration at Lloyds Several out door meetings in the country to protest against the supplementary credit were taken possession of by adherents of the government and turned into anti Russian demonstrations

The Proposal for a Peace Conference

VIENNA Jan 31—The intention to bring about a conference for the purpose of settling points preliminary to peace which trench upon international interests is assuming more positive shape No objections seem to have been raised on the part of Russia The Russian answer to the Austrian note has been received It recognizes the fact that present or future stipulations between Russia and Turkey are subject to modification and are not definite until sanctioned by the powers

Movement of Turkish Troops

CONSTANTINOPLE Feb 1—Hobart Pasha's fleet has arrived from Batoum bringing ten battalions Dervish Pasha is expected shortly

No News of Peace

CONSTANTINOPLE Feb 1—No news from the peace plenipotentiaries The government has telegraphed its representatives at European capitals asking for information [illegible] continue to arrive

Cretan Annexation

ATHENS Feb 1—The Cretan insurgents have declared that island annexed to Greece

Grecian Self-Defense

In the chamber of deputies yesterday M Commundouros Greek premier [illegible] that his action would be armed occupation of Thessaly and Epirus and part of Macedonia in order to protect the Greeks there from the outrages of the Turks driven thence by the Russian advance He said that when outrages occurred previously the government [illegible] the assistance of European [illegible] beyond making inquiry [illegible]

Clamoring for War

[illegible]

Insurgents in [illegible]

[illegible]

Russia Feels Indignant

[illegible]

[illegible] directly after the [illegible] This probably [illegible]

A[illegible] Demanded

CONSTANTINOPLE Feb 1—The Sultan has telegraphed the czar [illegible] an armistice

Russians Nearing Constantinople

LONDON Feb 1—A special from Rome states [illegible] are within 24 hours [illegible] Constantinople

Italy Ready to Oppose Russia

It is [illegible] to make an alliance with [illegible] supremacy

The Capital Must be Defended

After [illegible] that the ministerial [illegible] the city if [illegible]

WASHINGTON CITY

Arguments Before the R R Committee.

WASHINGTON Jan 31—The house committee on railroads to day continued the hearing of arguments on the Texas Pacific and Southern Pacific railroad bills C P Huntington addressed the committee in answer to Col Scott's argument last week He denied that the Southern and Central Pacific were the same thing They were quite distinct in their organization and views When completed through to the east the Southern Pacific would compete for the business now enjoyed by the Union and Central lines Years ago [illegible] of these questions had arisen or were brought in the settlement of [illegible] some of his friends of the Central had been persuaded to [illegible] law 30 miles a year [illegible] 20 miles a year [illegible] entire interest in it and in 1876 sold all a controlling portion in the whole line between Colorado and San Francisco to Col Scott himself but he did not fulfill his contract Since then a good deal more road has been built but he was now willing [illegible] the United States or to Col Scott if he could [illegible] satisfied that it would be used as part of a direct line to the Gulf of Mexico and lower Mississippi valley Huntington said his friends could build a line between the Colorado and the Rio Grande 600 miles as cheaply as Col Scott and would contract to put more money value into the road from their own mortgage bonds than Col Scott's party would put their bonds indorsed by the government and to build the road within five or six years He offered to amend the bill now in the committee so as to allow the same supervision and restrictions as to the construction and rates by congress over the Southern Pacific between its eastern terminus and the [illegible] several posts in South [illegible] bills so as to place the two on an equality except that the former asks no financial aid while the latter asks indorsement at the rate of $20,000 and $35,000 per mile He claimed that the Southern Pacific route across California between Yuma and Los Angeles possessed not only the best as to grades but also more directly on the line of through travel and traffic and could be made to answer equally well to San Diego as the branch line was now within ninety miles of the harbor He then read a telegram from the treasurer of the Central Pacific road stating that the net floating debt after deducting cash on hand Jan 1 1878 was $1 184 000.

Arguments for the Northern Pacific.

WASHINGTON Feb 1—The senate committee on railroads heard Col George Gray attorney of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company in opposition to Senator Mitchell's bill concerning its land grants He argued that the grants will not expire until January 4 1879 at the earliest and that the charter contains certain limitations under which grants may continue beyond that date

The Pacific R R Committee at Work.

WASHINGTON Feb 1—The house Pacific railroad committee to day heard the closing argument in the case of the Southern Pacific and Texas Pacific road Huntington for the former Scott the latter The Northern Pacific will now be taken up and arguments heard thereon

Woman's Vote on the Liquor Question

WASHINGTON Feb 1—Miss Frances E. Willard secretary of the Women's National Christian Temperance Union argued before the house judiciary committee to day that women should be permitted the use of the ballot on liquor questions

No Conclusion.

Action on Darrell, the Louisiana contested [illegible] was [illegible] by the sub committee of the house elections committee to day No conclusion It is believed Harris and Ellis will report in favor of retaining Darrell in his seat

Taxes on Insolvent Banks.

The senate committee on finance agreed to report favorably the amendment by Rollins to the bill introduced by Davis for the relief of insolvent savings banks

NOTES AND COMMENTS

The prospect of peace in Europe is having a big effect on the grain market Oregon much as she likes to see the world at peace hoped to get off another wheat crop at $2 [illegible]

It is stated of *Harper's Magazine* that there has been no year since 1870 when its circulation has not been larger than during any year of the previous decade and it is claimed that its circulation is equal to the total of those of all the other leading magazines

Everywhere the greenback party appears to mean business A call for a national greenback convention to be held at Toledo on the 22d inst has been issued Wendell Phillips Peter Cooper and Hinton Duncan are among the signers Who goes from Oregon?

The financial question is making sad havoc in some parts of the country There was John Barclay of Ohio who assured his [illegible] that [illegible] was worth her weight in gold That simple remark caused the match to be broken off The latter was a greenbacker

We are told that the president straddled the civil service issue again the other day by renominating Postmaster Edmunds of Washington as a sop to the machine men and at the same time nominating Northrup as United States district attorney for South Carolina as a sop to the Hampton whale

Gen B F Butler rushes into the *Tribune* with a letter denying that he has called on Patterson of South Carolina during the senator's illness [illegible] statesman who sees in [illegible] have given him even a friendly call

The debt paying movement now going on in the churches excites vigorous discussion objection is made to the use of Sunday for this purpose [illegible]

[illegible]

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

Resigned Appointed

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 1—Abram Block has [illegible] the presidency of the Odd Fellows Bank and Martin Heller has been appointed in his place

Absconder Identified.

Officers of the steamer *South Carolina* just returned from Panama recognize the photograph of Jack Tyler the absconding cashier of the Collateral Loan bank as that of a passenger under the name of J T Reenan on the last trip of the *South Carolina* They think he went from Panama to a South American port He had plenty of money with him

The Work at the Potrero.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 1—But little work was done at the Potrero yesterday on account of the weather and condition of the soil To day however about two hundred men were set at work and to morrow the force will be increased if good weather continues

The Free Lunch Houses

The free lunch houses under the auspices of the churches and the San Francisco Benevolent Society, continue supplying several hundred meals daily besides the provision being made for destitute families at their abodes

Coinage of Trade Dollars Stopped.

Superintendent Dodge of the mint has issued an order to stop the coinage of trade dollars for the next ten days It is feared this will embarrass shipments by the next China steamer on the 5th as the demand has recently been large both for shipment east and for the Chinese trade The mint has lately been running on trades week days and Sundays and possibly there may be a surplus on hand for all purposes

Suicide

This morning Adolph Guetchen an employe of the San Francisco Stock Brewing Company, corner Powell and Francisco streets was found hanging to a beam in the stable attached to the brewery The man was cut down immediately but had died some time before he was discovered He was a native of Germany aged 34 he leaves a wife and five children

NEVADA.

Work in the Savage Mine.

VIRGINIA Feb 1—The new [illegible] at the head of the incline in the Savage mine is ready to start and is connected with the pump at the present writing, and by 6 or 7 o'clock this evening the pump will be ready to start It will not be started however until shortly after midnight as some of the miners at work in the Savage think it is unlucky to start machinery on Friday From this date progress in lowering the water in both Savage and Hale & Norcross mines will be much more rapid than heretofore Aside from the additional capacity secured by the splendid working condition of the pumps the bad of water is undoubtedly conquered and almost all that remains in the two mines is dead water This was made manifest this week when the bailing tanks of the Savage got out of order and the whole work of holding water devolved upon the Hale & Norcross pumps The latter not only held water at the point where it was when the tanks stopped bailing but actually lowered it some

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Marine Matters

VICTORIA Feb 1—The Hawaiian bark *Iwalko* reported ashore on Tuesday last, has been condemned and will be sold at public auction on Tuesday the 5th of February

Weather very stormy

Attempts are being made to float the Hudson Bay Company's bark *Lady Lampson.*

SUPREME COURT

THURSDAY Jan 31 1878

Court met pursuant to adjournment

James H Frush respondent vs City of East Portland appellant; submitted

J F Hurford respondent vs J J Harned et al appellants submitted

Henry Scheland appellant vs John Erpelding respondent ordered that mandate issue.

Adjourned until to morrow at 9 o clock

FRIDAY Feb 1 1878

Court met pursuant to adjournment

John Catlin assignee respondent, vs John A Corler et al appellants argued and submitted

Court adjourned until Monday, February 4th at 10 30 o clock

THE TERRITORIES

Delegate Fenn of Idaho has introduced a bill to reduce the limits of Fort Hall reservation

On Wednesday evening Col Larrabee lectured at Seattle on "The Secret of Swedenborg"

U S Customs Officer Cushman stationed at San Juan Island left for a cruise among the islands in a small boat a week ago last Sunday and has not since been heard from

At Tacoma a memorial to the secretary of the interior has been prepared and presented for signatures remonstrating against the proposition to station more Indians upon the Puyallup reservation

The Tacoma *Herald* makes loud objection to the proposition made by Inspector Watkins to use Puyallup reservation as one of the places where the Indians of Western Washington are to be concentrated The objection is that it is too near Tacoma

A call is made in Northern Idaho for a convention to meet at Lewiston to nominate a delegate to attend the Washington constitutional convention. There is almost unanimous desire in Northern Idaho to be included within the bounds of Washington

W Byron Daniels who has conducted the Vancouver *Independent* since it was started and has made it a good and creditable paper withdraws from the business having sold the paper to J J Beeson The latter is a trained journalist and goes to work with a will THE OREGONIAN bids Mr Daniels good bye with regret, and extends good wishes to his successor

Lines have been down so much this week that we have received only a part of the dispatches due. At Tacoma a private dispatch has been received that on Wednesday the house sub-committee on Pacific railroads voted to report favorably upon the bill before them extending the time for the completion of the main line of the road ten years, and the branch line eight years.

The board of supervisors of Lemhi county Idaho, have petitioned the governor for 150 stand of arms They say There are as officially reported about 800 Indians belonging to the reservation in Lemhi valley who are closely allied with the Indians at Fort Hall, who are already dissatisfied and threaten [illegible] in their talk and actions The governor replies that the arms are not at his disposal to fill the requisition

On Wednesday a German named Carl Steinberg who was boarding with Mrs Eliza Borah of Vancouver persuaded her to put in his hands a sum of money she had—$220 [illegible] The wretch absconded and left the poor woman penniless He is a strapping big fellow over six feet high weighs [illegible] He is too lazy to work and is [illegible] to steal from a poor hard working woman The penitentiary [illegible] provided with a whipping post

Philadelphia *Times* [illegible] McClellan [illegible] Voorhees [illegible] While McClellan was teaching hard money at Trenton Voorhees was teaching soft money in Washington and as there is no middle ground for the party to take it must straddle the chasm with McClellan and Voorhees

Cincinnati *Saturday Night* [illegible] alcohol will [illegible] clean out all the silver you have got

SCHOOL FUND ROBBERIES

OBSERVATIONS ON THE METHODS UPON WHICH THE FUNDS HAVE BEEN HANDLED

DALLAS Polk Co Jan 30 1878

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

In reply to my article in your paper of the 25th inst I observe the *Standard* comes to the defense of the school fund swindle by asserting that some of the parties in this county who were defaulters to the fund were "Radicals," and consequently the state officials who made the loan should be exonerated from all blame on account of their extreme liberality to their political opponents

The official records of this county clearly demonstrate the fact that in the four cases alluded to in my article the school fund has been robbed of the large sum of $8 320

Since the money is irretrievably lost to the fund, I am unable to comprehend the *Standard's* twaddle about the politics of the parties who stole it The child that "grows up in ignorance, will have but little interest in knowing the politics of the man who stole the money intended for his education

The remedy in that case is in the hands of the child's father present and existing to day and it is his duty to protect the interests of his offspring by his protest at the ballot box against the officials who perpetrated the wrong

The truth is that in all these cases the fault rests with the board who made the loans, upon inadequate security, and the board will be held responsible by the people for their malfeasance

It is no defense of the governor secretary and treasurer who constitute the board for the *Standard* to assert that by their neglect and carelessness in dealing with a Radical they permitted the fund to be plundered If the Radicals are the bad people Mr Noltner represents them to be it was clearly the duty of a Democratic board to be upon their guard and to exercise the greater vigilance in dealing with them by their neglect to do so the board has incurred the charge of negligence as well as dishonesty

I repudiate all of the bosh about the politics of the parties who borrow the educational funds of the state it is a purely business matter with which politics have no possible connection It is a sacred fund placed under the control of the highest officials of the state under the violent presumption that "they are *honest* and *competent*" The records of the last few years abundantly prove that they are deficient in both those qualities Those officials are supposed to be selected from the whole body of the people on account of their peculiar financial ability What would be thought of any banker in this state who managed his private affairs in the manner that those officials have managed this fund?

The principal affairs of this state are managed by a close corporation, about which the people who pay the taxes know comparatively nothing except what the officials see proper to divulge in their biennial reports

By reference to the last of those reports which were submitted to the legislature there was a long list of persons who were, at that date defaulters to the educational fund in the matter of interest The list of defaulters contains the names of prominent men of both political parties The most prominent of those on the Democratic side are *Al Noltner, L F Grover* and *John B McClane*

The scandalous loan of $11,535 made on the 13th of August, 1875 to the "West Portland Homestead Association," was ostensibly made to a corporation, without a soul to be dammed or politics upon which the *Standard* can comment. The truth about that transaction is that the borrowed money was paid over directly to Governor Grover for some "suburban lots" sitting up edgewise among the fern and hazel on the side of the mountains back of Portland

Up to the time the last reports were published, not one cent of either principal or interest has been paid upon this large loan. Perhaps Acting Governor Chadwick ought to be exonerated from any participation in this great swindle, as I understand he now states that the fraud was perpetrated by Governor Grover and Treasurer Brown without his knowledge If this be true it simply adds another chapter of infamy to the numerous school fund robberies

The *Standard* man, I think is a little premature in his assertion that "the only losses sustained by the present administration were through the Radicals" He ought to wait until the legal remedies have been exhausted in attempts to collect the loans above enumerated including the little $500 to himself There may have been political favoritism in the loan to Mr Noltner

There was something more in the loans that were made to Gov Grover by Gov Grover while he was president of the board In the loans made to the "West Portland Homestead Association" and John B McClane and Myers, the most of the money went directly to Gov Grover's pocket either in payment for worthless property or to liquidate an old and rather stale debt

When the interest was overdue on all these loans, there were no suits brought to protect the fund by its recovery One of Grover's organs has asserted that the governor had as much right to borrow the school fund as any body else. He certainly had the power to do so while he was president of the board and he had as much right to bring suit against himself for its recovery as he had to sue the defaulting Polk county "Radicals" He, however neglected to enforce the claim against himself and friends.

The whole history of this school fund peculation is disgusting in the extreme, and I trust it will be so fully ventilated before the June election, that all concerned in, and all who defend it, will be consigned to ignominious political death C

The Indianapolis *Journal* says it would take a stump puller of double magnifying horse-power to extract an opinion from Governor Hendricks on the silver question

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Political resolutions being usually drawn for buncombe and purposely expressed in the most high flown and sonorous forms of speech without much attention to fitness and meaning are not regarded generally as the most delightful kind of reading. It is a species of literature that doesn't thrill and electrify though in every case the entire resources of language at command of the distinguished men who are honored with places on the committee on resolutions are exhausted in making them good and strong. But we are going to have a good deal of this class of literature during the next three or four months, and therefore the average reader may begin to brace up for it. As an introduction to the course we have already a sample lot of resolutions from Benton county. The resolves are emphatically in favor of divers things and as emphatically oppose divers other things. People who draw resolutions must never forget to be emphatic. In this present case it is the unanimous opinion of the able gentlemen of the committee that the country is in a bad way, and they are reluctantly compelled to say that they view with concern and regard with alarm, or words to that effect. It is a Democratic club at Corvallis that opens the ball. Repeal of the resumption act is required, there is a call for remonetization of silver and a loud demand that the national banking system shall be abolished and the place of national bank currency supplied by direct issues of greenbacks by the United States, which may be converted on demand into bonds bearing three and a half per cent interest. We do not remember to have seen before a proposition from a Democratic club to allow non interest bearing notes to be converted into interest bearing bonds. The question of abolishing the national banking system is one thing and that of supplying the place of bank notes by using greenbacks and making them a legal tender is another. It is more than doubtful whether this last demand could be realized. The paper legal tender act has been considered by the supreme court of the United States. The doctrine has been laid down that the power to make treasury notes a legal tender while a mere incidental one to that of issuing the notes themselves, and to one of the forms of borrowing money, is nevertheless a power not to be resorted to except on extraordinary and pressing occasions, such as war or other public exigencies of great gravity and importance and should be no longer continued than all the circumstances of the case demand. Also that the note is "a promise to buy dollars, not an attempt to make dollars." The supreme court was with great difficulty induced to declare the greenback a legal dollar and it was so decided solely on the ground that the legal-tender quality was a necessity in time of war. We cannot be sure, therefore, that any issue of United States notes beyond that provided for as a necessity of the war will be admissible, indeed there is the strongest reason for the decisions already rendered for believing it would be held otherwise. There are knots here of the greatest difficulty. Resolutions adopted in partisan meetings are not likely to untie them. But a comprehensive platform must lay down a programme, and cannot condescend to take notice of these things. The Corvallis resolutions go much further and treat of a great variety of subjects. But we need not follow them now. There will be abundance of this sort of thing presently.

INDICATIONS

The *Railway World*, published at Philadelphia in an article on the Northern Pacific railroad in its issue of January 12, says, "Arrangements are being made with good prospects of success, for commencement of the construction of a line to extend for a distance of two hundred miles eastward from the head of navigation on the Columbia river into Idaho territory."

It is assumed by journals at the east which have recently been discussing the prospects of this road and urging extension of the grant that the old grant does not expire till July 1879. Whether the company will undertake to go on with construction of the road the present year under this view of the grant, in case renewal should now be refused, is not stated, but there are signs that it either intends this or is fully satisfied that the present congress will extend the grant, so as to give it opportunity to go on.

It has been thought a favorite project with the company to build a line eastward from the head of navigation on the Columbia river into Idaho, because this section of the road would be comparatively easy of construction, would traverse a fine country and soon would do a large amount of business. The lands, too, would be among the most valuable on the whole route and the nature of the country is such that nearly the full amount of lands would be obtained. We are not advised what is to be done with the cargo of iron which it is announced is loading at Philadelphia for Portland, nor with other cargoes which it is stated are to follow. It would not be surprising, however if it should turn out that this iron is being sent in pursuance of a design to build a piece of road at this place or some other to connect with the Columbia river. Events will shortly determine.

The *Railway World*, speaking of Senator Mitchell's bill says that it has been received by the country "with surprise not unmingled with indignation;" and that publication we observe objects to it on the same ground upon which THE OREGONIAN and eastern journals generally have based their criticisms, namely that it imposes a series of restrictions which would make construction of the main line impossible. This is the verdict rendered by intelligent judgment with a unanimity so remarkable that not an eastern journal has yet been produced which supports Mr Mitchell's bill while on the other hand, nearly all oppose it.

It has been suggested that the great bonanza firm of Nevada and San Francisco may become owners of the national debt and the *Argonaut* offers an argument to show that the idea is not so improbable as might be supposed. It asserts that the yearly revenue of the firm is now twenty one million dollars and the members are all young, active and temperate business men. It is extremely probable that they will become the owners of the entire group of Comstock mines and a silver mine never gives out. A new base of operations will be afforded by the Sutro tunnel, and mining will shortly be pushed with renewed energy. Present dividends are likely to be greatly multiplied and the realized capital of the firm is already so large that it must in itself accumulate with marvelous rapidity. A very little calculation will show that even the present income of the members from their mines added to the accumulations produced by investments of so great a surplus in paying real estate will, within a few [illegible] make these individuals virtual owners of San Francisco. If, says the *Argonaut*, they should determine to purchase the city of San Francisco as a temporary investment preparatory to the ultimate purchase of the national debt we see nothing to prevent them from doing so.

Simultaneously with the announcement of Suleiman Pasha's overwhelming defeat near Philippopolis it was discovered that his real name was Patrick Sullivan. A writer in the the Cork [illegible] claims him for that city and tells all about him. Mr Sullivan in his misfortunes is entitled to the sympathy of mankind. At the time of the Crimean war a story was told of a French officer who undertook to chastise a Turkish private by slapping his face. The soldier threw off his coat and pummeled the Frenchman so soundly that he cried for quarter. Thereupon the panting private, bracing himself up delivered this piece of advice which is said to have made a marked impression on the spectators. "Now Misther Parley Voo the next time you strike a Turk look out that he isn't a Tipperary man." This anecdote was related to prove that the pugnacious sons of the green isle are to be found in every camp where there is fighting to be done.

The confederate brigadiers in the house may be trusted to oppose any investigation of the trade they are charged with having made by which Hayes is alleged to have been seated. A member of congress of the Bill Chandler stripe, has been round among them, and meets with discouragement. There seems to be a very fair understanding between the Hayes party and the confederate brigadiers which is bad for that combination composed of soured Republicans of the Chandler stripe, and disappointed Tilden Democrats.

Gen McClellan has made his bow to the American people and his bid for the Democratic nomination in 1880. The east has two hard money candidates now who have expressed themselves without reservation on this vital question. Thurman is out as a western candidate on the opposite side of the question but Hendricks utters not a word, though he is known to be for debased money. Wholesome fear of New York holds him back.

Col Chesney's celebrated prophecy set forth in "The Battle of Dorking" is substantially fulfilled before its time. Long before 1900 European questions are being settled without consultation with England.

FINANCE FOR THE WABASH BOTTOMS

The organs which advocate a debased currency are making a great deal of the speech recently delivered by Senator Voorhees. The New York *World* by far the ablest and greatest Democratic paper in the country, treats it with contempt, after this fashion.

Senator Voorhees spoke his piece in the senate and our Washington correspondent assures us that many of those who disapproved of its sentiments were pleased with it as a display of oratory. One person in fact went so far as to send the new senator a bouquet. We congratulate Senator Voorhees on his oratory and his bouquet, and now we advise him to sit down in a corner quietly with Senator Eaton and hone his financial mind a little on that of his Connecticut colleague.

The Washington correspondent referred to who heard the speech through, though the financial theory of the orator might do for the Wabash bottoms, but showed in the following statements why it would never do for commercial transactions with the civilized world.

The Indiana senator took the singular position that this country because of its isolation, could maintain the double standard without regard to the standard upheld by European nations. He did not seem to know that we have already a trade dollar of a higher standard than the old dollar coined expressly for commercial transactions, and that even now it was not sufficient for the purposes of foreign trade, thus showing that the single standard is inevitable. The talk about the grand conspiracy in 1873 to demonetize silver in the interest of the bondholders and other often exploded statements may split the ears of the groundlings along the Wabash, but it certainly deceived no one in the senate who had not already deceived himself.

CONKLING ON WOMAN'S RIGHTS.—The New York *Tribune* says. It is related that Senator Conkling was waylaid in the corridor of the senate the other day by a large group of female advocates of woman suffrage, and was forcibly entreated to permit them to appear at the bar of the senate and plead their cause. Mr Conkling said it would be setting a precedent under which the senate could not refuse to allow any one with a petition to appear at the bar and argue on the subject. Mrs Hooker said, "We represent 8,000,000 of citizens of the United States who are basely defrauded of their rights. You are a man who have your rights, and we ask and demand of you that you help us to get ours." Mr Conkling said that he was always glad to help the ladies in everything. Then some twenty of them in chorus said "Give us our rights." Poor Mr Conkling never he so stoutly refused, and gradually edging his way into the senate with very low bows, at last disappeared within its door with one very profound bow.

SLAP AT RANDALL.—The Washington *Post*, Democratic organ, in an editorial headed "Wanted a Leader" lets off this at Speaker Randall.

A mediocrity of purest water himself with cunning, craft and low methods instead of culture, intellect and high purpose what wonder that he used the power of his great position not to subserve the public interests but only his personal prejudices and private purposes. A man without either ideas or ideals without scholarship or refinement without principles or convictions without any fixed purpose save that of success in holding public place what wonder that Speaker Randall organized the house precisely as he would have organized the ward politicians of the city council of Philadelphia the school of his political training, upon the basis of rewarding his friends and punishing his enemies.

RECOVERING LOST QUICKSILVER.—The beds of rivers in our gold mining districts where the amalgam process has long been employed are charged with quicksilver. Some Germans have devised a method for recovering a portion of this lost metal and according to the Virginia City *Enterprise* a four days labor is quite remunerated by the amalgam or mercury obtained. A tool of iron is used about ten feet long, with a copper head shaped like a soldering iron. On the sides of this tool there are pockets. The head is thrust down into the river bed and churned up and down. After a while amalgam is found in the pockets of the tool or adhering to its surface and is scraped off by the workmen.

Butler it is said has nothing to expect from Massachusetts therefore he tried recently to see what he could make by appealing to interests opposed to those of Massachusetts. He is preparing another scene with Ben Hill in the old issue and he hopes to make capital for 1880. Everybody agrees that the late affair was a disgrace to the senate but Butler [illegible] the sympathies of a majority of the people at Washington who say that Hill and Dawes might simply have rebuked him in a few words and denied the charge without indulging in personal bitterness.

THE FIGURE NINE.—A remarkable property of this figure is that all through the multiplication table the product of nine comes to nine. Multiply any number by nine as nine times two equals eighteen add the digits together one plus eight equals nine. So it keeps on until nine times eleven equals ninety nine. Very well add the digits nine plus nine equals eighteen and one plus eight equals nine. Going on to any extent it is impossible to get rid of the figure nine. Take any number for example [illegible] and the same result.

OREGON

The *Independent* insists that the town of Hillsboro shall be drained or ferries put in.

The *City of Salem* went up to Eugene City this week the first time a boat has gone up the river so far for two years.

The *Mercury* says there is talk of building a narrow gauge railroad from Salem to Silverton by citizens of both places and farmers along the route.

William White of Yamhill died of small pox on Thursday morning. He was one of the oldest settlers and an excellent man. His loss is deeply deplored.

Salem *Mercury*: There are forty young men in our city who ought to be married and [illegible] young ladies waiting to be asked besides 11 grass widows who might be coaxed into matrimony.

Mr Dilley of Forest Grove is fishing a lot of Irish land. The land was thought to be worthless a few years ago when Mr Watts gave Dilley 400 acres to keep from paying the taxes on it. Mr D thinks this land is worth now from $5 to $7 per acre.

The Oregon Central Railroad pays $[illegible] 40 taxes in Washington county for 1877. The largest resident taxpayer in the county is Ben Cornelius who puts into the county treasury $669 4. Ulysses Jackson comes next paying $[illegible] 64. Dr Hawthorne pays $[illegible] in Washington county and S G Reed $[illegible]

Yamhill *Reporter*: Several of our citizens are firm in the belief that there was an earthquake last Saturday morning about 3 o'clock. Clocks were stopped at three different places we hear of and from parties who were awake at that hour we learn that there was certainly a commotion of some kind on the face of the earth.

Democrats of Corvallis have organized a club with 127 members. John Burnett is president. The resolutions pronounce for silver and greenbacks. Democrats of Linn will organize a club at Albany on Saturday 9th. Doubtless they will take the same course the object being to conciliate the greenbackers and keep in the party.

A letter to the *Gazette* states that one day last week the boys of Mr Wiley Winkle who lives seven or eight miles south of Corvallis while breaking sod in front of the house ploughed up a lot of old silver coins the latest bearing date of 1848. It is a mystery how they got there. They were coins of Mexico, France, Peru and the United States.

The Hillsboro *Independent* says a great advantage the Chinese laborer has is that he is not dissolute—always sober otherwise he would be compelled to starve or steal because the organization to which he belonged would cast him off. A white laborers organization would have to adopt this rule and have none but sober and industrious men in its company.

The wife beater of Astoria thinks he has full license to throw all sorts of dirty things at THE OREGONIAN but when he receives a proper characterization in turn and one which he instantly recognizes him elf he thinks it very improper and unbecoming journalism. If the wife beater don't want a mirror held up before him in which he may see himself let him be outwardly civil even though it be impossible for him to be inwardly decent.

The Armstrong estate in Yamhill falls far short of paying the claims against it. The Scotch company held mortgages on the land in the neighborhood of $14000. The highest bids on that under execution reached something over $10000 and the company got it. The land the *Reporter* thinks, is actually worth probably about $20000. The proceeds from personal property lacked several hundred dollars of paying other claims against the estate.

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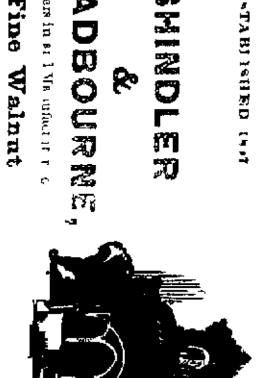

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Walnut Bedroom Set
Cottage Bedroom Set,
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ALSO

Cook Stove Kitchen Furniture, &c

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LATHES, &c

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FURNITURE:

Bedroom, Diningroom and Kitchen Furniture

ALSO

Saddles and Harness.

ALSO

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My successors, J BACHMAN & BROTHER will assume control of the Agency from this date.

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ED HALL late Manager

Portland Jan 28 1878. ja28dim

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For account of whom it may concern, Without reserve, AS IS,

40 pieces Brussels, Ingrain and Tap[estry] Carpets
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Lebanon Oregon, Jan. 14, 1878.

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OFFICE OF PORTLAND GLUE FACTORY [HAS] been removed to Corner Front and [illegible] No 180 river side. D METZGER, Proprietor

DISSOLUTION.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE [EX]isting under the firm name of L. White & Co. consisting of the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

L. WHITE,
T WHITE
WM E LAUE

Portland Ogn February 1 1878.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE FIRM OF THANHAUSER & BLUMAUER is from this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr B Blumauer retiring. The business will be continued under the firm name of L. Thanhauser & Co who assume all the liabilities and collect all outstanding accounts due the late firm of Thanhauser & Blumauer.

L THANHAUSER,
B BLUMAUER.

Portland Or Jan 31 1878

NOTICE.

MR DAVID L. WALTER HAS NO INTEREST in our business as partner or otherwise. Neither has he any authority to sign our firm name.

WALTER BROS

Portland Oregon January 29 1878.

NOTICE.

DURING THE ABSENCE OF MR. WESLEY JACKSON from the State Mr G A MORTON is authorized to transact any and all business for us.

W JACKSON & CO.

Portland Jan 3 1878

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